

alleged offense came up, and it was stated that Officer Angle, who had arrived on the scene by this time, had been told by the cry, "Mr. Angle, vigorously protested that he had not, and thus the dispute began. Captain Gulgon persisted that the officer had heard and the officer persisted that he had not. A "you did" "I didn't" affair ensued, and finally Mr. Angle declared flatly:

"I didn't hear him, and nobody can say I did."

"I say you heard him," replied the Captain, and words were that effect.

Then, according to Captain Gulgon, the blow was struck. Angle raised his hand and lunged at the witness, who ducked his head, but received a glancing blow on the chin. "I kept my arms by my side," said Captain Gulgon. "I don't think it needs any explanation to this court why I did not return or return the blow at such a moment in the presence of an excited crowd of people. I called for Angle's arrest, and he was taken in custody by one of the officers—Mr. Green, I think."

The case for the Commonwealth closed with the testimony of the second witness, Dr. Carrington, whose account of the happening was in all respects identical with that of Captain Gulgon.

The Angle Side.

Mr. Angle himself took the stand and proceeded to give his side of the happenings. He said he was at the Restorador when the arrest of Farley, and that he went on into the club house when the prisoner was taken there. He heard the advice given by Captain Gulgon, who grew very excited about shooting the officers. When Farley was preparing to leave and went outside to get in the buggy, Angle says he went after him and bused himself seeing that the crowd did not try to rush up to the buggy and harm the man under arrest. Suddenly he heard somebody call out, "Arrest him! arrest him!" and saw a man run by. He didn't know what the man had done, but he set out after him and came up about the time the fugitive was placed under arrest by the other officers. It was then that he heard it stated that the man—now called Angle—had said, "I have been brought up to believe I ought to resent an insult, and I will always do it."

The argument of the case followed. Mr. Wells spoke for the prosecution and drew a picture of a man sworn to prosecute, and uphold the law, himself violating the same law. He declared that the conduct of the defendant had been most reprehensible, and that he should be severely punished. In his argument for the defense Mr. Wendeburn opened up with a discussion of labor and capital, and referred to the strike-breakers, who had been brutal, here with guns and pistols. Many of these men, he declared, bore upon their faces the traces of every crime on God's green earth. And they had been brought here, forthwith, because labor had demanded a few more cents a day to make life worth living. He declared that under the circumstances Mr. Angle did entirely right, and that he could have done anything to prevent an interference with him in the discharge of his duty.

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HEAVY WEEK AT CITY HALL

Committee of Investigation To-Morrow Night.

IS GROWING INTERESTING

Mr. Fairfax Montague To Testify Later On—Board of Aldermen Tuesday Night—Large Number of Committee Meetings.

The coming week promises to be one of peculiar public interest in municipal circles. The committee of investigation, which is at present probing into the matter of granting telephone franchises, will meet at 8:29 to-morrow night, and some more apy testimony is anticipated.

It is not yet definitely known just what witnesses will testify at the next meeting, but it is likely that there will be several. The evidence adduced on Friday night, most of which was given by Colonel Hunt Chipley, former general manager of the Bell Company here, did not bear hard upon ex-Alderman John M. King, but it was the first meeting at which Mr. King was not heavily assailed by witnesses on the stand. Colonel Chipley said he had had little to do with King further than to furnish him with free phone service, as he did not know just where to place the Jefferson Ward man, he having voted first one way and then another in the committee.

Another meeting of the committee will be held on Thursday night, when Mr. Fairfax Montague will go upon the stand and explain his connection with the Bell fight. It was at first thought that the proceedings of the committee would be rather tame, but each meeting brings out some new evidence, and it is of such a nature as to make it especially interesting to the public and all those directly concerned. But besides the meetings of the committee of investigation, which are scheduled for the week, there are others of much public interest scheduled to take place.

BOARD MEETING.

The Board of Aldermen will hold a regular session on Tuesday night, and will likely dispose of a great deal of important business. The report of the committee of investigation to the first branch of the municipal inquiry will be had before the body and adopted, and there is a long calendar of regular work mapped out. The session bids fair to be a long one.

The following committees will meet during the week:

Committee on Electricity, 8 o'clock Monday.

Light, 8 P. M. Wednesday.

Streets, 8 P. M. Wednesday.

Those gentlemen who were mentioned at the investigation the other night by Colonel Chipley as having received money for creating public sentiment in favor of the Bell Company did not desire to discuss the matter for publication, but it is understood that most of them will be heard, at some later date during the inquiry, to take the stand and testify in their own behalf.

FOOT LEE.

The picnic given by the ladies of Beulah Church on Wednesday was a very successful affair, being among the largest attended and greatly enjoyed.

Among the recent visitors at Lee cottage were the following:

Mrs. McDuffy and Mr. Raleigh Clark, of Richmond, and the Misses Katherine and Edna Zeller, Mrs. P. C. Allard, and Miss Alice Allard, Miss Mamie Binkins, Miss Jennie Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Treasler and family, of Fulton, spent the Fourth with Mr. Treasler's parents, and had a most enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Nichol, of Richmond, visited Mrs. Nichol's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Clark, on the Fourth of July.

Mr. Harry Morgan, who has been seriously ill, is now able to be out.

Mr. Charles Wagner gave a most enjoyable picnic at his attractive residence on the Fourth of July.

In spite of the rain, a large gathering of young and old availed themselves of the opportunity to indulge in the bountiful supply of ice cream and a general good time.

A large party was pleasantly entertained at Melrose on the Fourth. Refreshments were served in the most hospitable manner, and the afternoon was delightfully spent in music and conversation.

Miss and Mrs. Minnie spent the Fourth most enjoyable in New Kent.

Mr. Fred Walden, of Surrey, visited his parents on the Fourth, and will spend his vacation with his parents.

Mrs. W. P. Turner, Miss Lillie Turner, Miss Bessie Hudgins, Miss Rosa Marano, and Miss Jane Kidd, called on friends at Lyndhurst Wednesday evening.

A number of the young people of Fort Lee spent the Fourth at the picnic given by Central Church, on the church grounds.

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HIGHLAND SPRINGS.

Rev. John Hanson, D. D., pastor of Union Station Methodist Episcopal Church, Richmond, will preach at the Highland Springs Methodist Episcopal Church this morning at 11:30 o'clock, when holy communion will be administered. The pastor, Rev. J. P. Cutright, will fill the pulpit at Union Station Church, Richmond.

Rev. J. P. Cutright has been attending the Richmond District Conference at Smithfield this week.

Miss Bessie Hudgins, of Richmond, is the guest of her aunt, Miss Jennie Hudgins, at her home on "The Refuge."

Mrs. W. G. Griffin has gone on a visit to her mother, Mrs. J. E. Smith, at Atlee, Hanover county.

Mrs. Sarah Myers and little granddaughter, Nina, were guests at the Tower House on Thursday last.

Mr. Reuben Emerick was taken to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Lee, who lives near Williamsport, Pa., and stood the trip remarkably well considering his extreme weakness. He was accompanied and tenderly cared for during the trip by his daughter, Miss Maud Emerick, of Williamsport, and by his daughter-in-law, Miss Cozy Miller, who came from her home in Florida, to be with her stepfather a few days before her departure.

Miss May Emericks, of Philadelphia, a trained nurse, spent eighteen months at the bedside of her father before he could be moved to Pennsylvania. Miss Emerick was a nurse in the Spanish-American war, spending many months in Cuba.

N. V. Clayton, who holds a responsible position in Fredericksburg, spent the 4th of July with his family here.

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The weather and other conditions have retarded business—a fact known to every one having any knowledge of merchandising. The result is that our stock is not in the normal condition that it usually is at this time of the year. As merchants we must find a remedy for this state of affairs, and we know of none so effective as Price, therefore, we offer you, beginning to-morrow morning,

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Katy Augusta and Andrew Henry Dickman, niece and nephew respectively, of Mrs. F. P. Read, accompanied their aunt home, for a visit of a month. Master Dickman had his hand severely lacerated in a press at the Times office in Florence, and Dr. McLeod, of that town, who dressed the wound, thought a month's rest would be the best means of restoring the injured member to usefulness.

Mr. E. S. Read, founder of Highland Springs, left on Monday last on a visit to Boston, where his time will be divided between business and pleasure.

Mr. James R. Lacy is critically ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. M. E. Powers, Dr. Brooker, of Richmond, is the attending physician.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus N. Bowers, of Baltimore, have come to make their home with their son, Mr. Charles Bowers, who has recently purchased a very attractive home in Guinea Avenue.

Mr. Aubrey Powers, of Baltimore, is visiting his mother, Mrs. M. E. Powers, on Quince Avenue.

H. B. Smith has purchased a building lot here, where he will build an attractive home, which he hopes to occupy before fall.

The attractive house now being built by Mr. Grabberger is rapidly nearing completion.

Miss Marano, of Washington, D. C., is visiting at the home of her brother, on Elm Avenue.

Alfred Woodman expects to leave here on the 15th instant, for his farm and country home in Plainfield, N. J., and will, upon his arrival, join his son on a yachting cruise to Newburyport and various resorts along the coast of Massachusetts.

Mr. Alfred Atkinson has returned from his school at Staunton, Va., and will spend his vacation with his parents.

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FULTON PARK.

If everything continues to work smoothly Fulton Park will be in full operation and open to the public by the 15th instant. The electric trolley, which is the care of the musical railway has arrived. The refreshment counter is about finished, and the soda fountain will be set up in a few days. The new building is nearly completed, and will be one of the finest in the State.

It has been erroneously stated that Fulton Park was being established for the benefit of the colored population. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Powers, of Virginia Avenue, left Monday on a visit to their daughter, Mrs. Parsley, of Hanover county.

Miss Alma Culp and Professor Robert E. Scholes visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Read, on Thursday.

Mrs. V. C. Turner has gone on a visit to her niece, Mrs. E. L. Dorset, in Powhatan county.

Mrs. S. W. McKinney and little boy, Raymond, will leave Saturday on a short visit to the home of Mrs. McKinney's sister, Mrs. E. L. Dorset, who will accompany her on her return trip, as also will Miss Ruth McKinney, who has had a most pleasant visit to her aunt.

An accident occurred on the Fourth of July, news of which has just reached here. During a thunder storm Mrs. Rosebeck, while in the act of lowering the window in her chamber, was struck on the hand by lightning, falling to the floor unconscious. Mrs. Rosebeck was alone in that portion of the house, and lay there a long time, until regaining consciousness, she managed to call for assistance. She was some days recovering from the shock. Her home is at Black Creek, Hanover county.

Despite the warm weather during the past few Sundays the Sunday school here has been unusually well attended, there being seventy-seven scholars present.

The lawn party given on the grounds adjoining Sunday-school Hall on Thursday evening by the ladies of the Nickel Club was largely attended. The beautiful moonlight light added largely in making it the success it was, and a snug supper was realized this season.

The farmers of this vicinity are getting in their hay and report this the best crop in years.

The Miller Bros., proprietors of the Farmington Dairy Farm, have their new machine at work threshing wheat, which is of very fine quality this season.

Mr. Fussell, mail carrier for the rural free delivery, who has been confined to his home on account of illness, has resumed his route.

Edward Wash had the misfortune to lose a fine horse the past week.

John L. Jones, who managed his hand severely the past week, has not as yet recovered the use of the injured member.

Little Edward McEwen, who about a month ago hurt his knee very badly by falling on an old tree stump, has recovered the use of his limb.

BARTON HEIGHTS.

Miss Alice Summers, of Baltimore, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Summers and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Schlessler.

Frank Mitchell has returned home after a visit to friends in Portsmouth.

Miss Jennie Mitchell, who has been visiting friends in Newport News, has returned home.

Mrs. A. F. Miller and son have returned from Ocean View.

Miss Otley Prince Minor will leave in a few days to visit her friend, Miss Ruth Turner, of Emporia.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Shelton and family, who have been visiting in Baltimore, Md., have returned home.

Mr. W. T. Bouliard and son, of Carroll county, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. Jeter, have left for their home.

Miss Mary Goode Woodbridge, of Baltimore, is visiting her cousins, Misses Louise and Lizzie Jeter.

Miss Lettie Lanford, of Bluefield, W. Va., is visiting Mrs. Alice Harris, of Meadow Bridge Road, who has been visiting Mrs. Nuckolls, of Hanover, has returned home.

Miss Lillie Turner, who has been visiting Miss Tucker, of Lynchburg, has returned to her home on Meadow Bridge Road.

Miss Lena Kass, of Meadow Bridge Road, who has been visiting Mrs. Mammie Walker, of Petersburg, has returned home.

Miss Calvin Satterfield has left for Albemarle county to visit relatives.

Mr. Lancaster, of North Carolina, is moving into the residence occupied by the Rev. J. W. Mitchell.

Mrs. C. L. Moore, who has been visiting Mr. George E. Carter, has returned to her home in West Virginia.

Miss Lillie Turner, who has been visiting Mrs. Thompson, of Portsmouth, have returned to Brookland Park.

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since early last fall, suffering from a broken limb, visited his home in Hanover on the Fourth, under the care of C. F. Steinman.

Miss Kate Adams was in Richmond during the week on business.

SEVEN PINES.

The electric wires were cut in the vicinity of Fair Oaks some time Thursday night by some miscreant, which interfered seriously with the running of the cars on Friday morning. This sort of thing is very worrying to the old motormen and conductors of the Seven Pines line, a few of whom reside at Seven Pines.

Charles Reid, a popular conductor, and Miss Carrie Lyne visited friends in Richmond during the week.

Services at Beulah M. E. Church, preaching by the pastor, Rev. J. F. Cutright, at 3:30 P. M. Public cordially invited.

The third quarterly conference of Seven Pines charge will be held at Beulah M. E. Church on Monday afternoon, July 27th, at 3 P. M.

VARIETY OF CASES BEFORE HIS HONOR

Two Men Sent to Grand Jury. Boy Breaks Up Bird's Nest.

'Squire Graves had a far larger docket yesterday than usual for a Saturday which is by no means considered a bargain day at that counter where justice and mercy are dispensed to all deserving kind.

William Carter and Lewis King, colored men, were before the court charged with having broken into the store of Sam Hadden and appropriated to themselves the sum of \$5 in United States currency, and two pistols. The men were apprehended by Sergeants Gibson and Wren, and upon their testimony were sent on to the grand jury.

Frank Taylor, colored, exceeded the rights of a citizen and was disorderly on the street. He was fined \$2.50 and costs. In the same category were Charles Pleasants, George Dobbs, Ike Bullock, Frank Bates and Edward Washington. They were also fined \$2.50 each, save Washington, who did not appear and an attachment was issued for him.

Samuel Cousins was before his Honor for indulging in that boyish propensity of breaking up a mocking bird's nest, and relieving the mother bird of the responsibility of rearing her young. He was fined \$2.

Malcolm Owen, colored, put a knife into the anatomy of Morris Burton, Jr., and for that was made to pay \$5 and costs. John St. John and William A. Jones, of the "off-before" variety, were drunk again, and will do fifteen days of honest toil thereafter.

Arrested upon complaint of Park Keeper Higgins, of Libby Hill, that he was disorderly and jumped over the park hedges. The case was dismissed.

Horace S. Eubank was asked to "move on" and did not show proper respect for the highest of Policemen Robinson. He was fined \$5. The remaining cases were trifling.

Children's Day exercises will take place at Bethesda Christian Church, today, at 2:30 A. M.

The feast that was given by the Ladies Aid Society at the home of Mrs. Arday Monday last; much business was transacted.

On account of the illness of Miss Beadles, the ladies party will have taken place at Mr. John Beadles' on July 7th, was postponed.

Mr. and Mrs. John Arbaugh, little Miss Alma and Master Floyd Arbaugh spent the Fourth with her parents at Gly Mount and sister at the Cliffs.

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ANNIVERSARY OF THE OLD FIRST

It Will Be Held Next Saturday at Forest Hill Park.

The survivors of the famous First will celebrate their forty-second anniversary on Saturday next at Forest Hill Park. Forty-two years ago on the 15th of July, the First Virginia, with nearly 800 men in line withstood the first shock of battle at Blackburn Ford on the Bull Run.

This was the beginning for a record of glory and fame, surpassed by no other regiment in